29 August 1980

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                   Deputy to the DCI for Resource Management

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                   Chairman, DASITT

     SUBJECT: DCI ADP-T Support to Imagery Task Team (DASITT) Report   25X1
                      for April-August 1980 [   ]

       1. The DCI ADP-T Support to Imagery Task Team (DASITT) circulated an early draft of its report within the Resource Management Staff during May. The comments of staff members were incorporated before a draft version of the report was distributed to the NFIP Program Managers and members of the National Foreign Intelligence Board on 24-25 June. So that the U&S Commands could be fully consulted, the GDIP Program Manager requested that the original 6 July deadline for submitting comments on the report be

25X1   extended to 4 August. [   ]

       2. During the reporting period, a number of briefings on the study were held for the Resource Management Staff, the Collection Tasking Staff, CIA's Office of Data Processing, staff members of the National Photographic Interpretation Center, the CIA Comptroller's Office, and DIA's Resources and Systems Office. Briefings on the DASITT's cost methodology were also given. Two briefings--one on the current imagery ADP network, another on the DASITT Study--were given to the Director of

25X1   Central Intelligence. [   ]

       3. The official comments of the CIAP Program Manager were received on 5 August 1980. Those from the NRP Program Manager arrived on 14 August 1980. A memorandum, dated 5 August 1980, was received from the Assistant Director for Resources and Systems, Defense Intelligence Agency. It stated that the official GDIP comments would be delayed beyond 4 August, pending further consultations with the U&S Commands. Follow-up conversations with members of the GDIP Staff indicate that official comments will be provided in mid September or October. [   ] 25X1

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    4. The original DASITT Charter called for a final version of the
report to be released in September 1980. This version was to be
consistent with an approved COMIREX Operational Concept scheduled for
release in August. Because of planned changes in CAMS and JTO, the
approved version incorporating CAMS II and JTO operations has now been
scheduled for the end of 1980. The Chairman of the DASITT feels that it
is necessary to reschedule the revised DASITT report until the official
GDIP comments have been received, evaluated, and properly considered
together with the comments of other organizations. [   ]   25X1

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